

## OPERA HOUSE!

Friday Night, March 11th

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## "A Breezy Time"

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Concert at 7:30 P. M.

Prices 35-50-75 Bradley's Bookstore

## WANTS

WANTED—Men or women local representatives for a high-class magazine. Large commissions; cash prizes. J. N. Taylor, 30 East Washington square, New York, N. Y.

WANTED—House girl. See Mrs. Lee Barrett. 127-1f

HOUSE TO RENT—Four rooms, and bath; across the street from J. N. Taylor's. In the fashionable west end. H. E. Milford. 127-1f

BUSINESS—Party having some means wishes to engage in business in Vinita. Address Box 100, the land man. 127-1f

FOR RENT—A large convenient room close to town, either for two men or man and wife—could arrange to rent two suitable for light housekeeping. Mrs. David Taylor. 127-1f

WANTED—House girl. See Mrs. Lee Barrett. 127-1f

A new second hand bicycle for sale. Inquire at this office. 127-1f

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Graduates earn top wages. Few weeks completes by this method. Can carry extra expenses, tools and diplomas given when through. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, St. Louis, Mo. 127-1f

WANTED—Rooms in private family with or without board. Apply Chas. R. Morrison, Int. Bank & Trust Co. 127-1f

WANTED—Good second-hand office desk. Enquire at this office. 127-1f

WANTED—Two boarders; gentleman preferred. Nice comfortable room within five blocks of town. Apply here. 127-1f

WANTED—Plain sewing. Mrs. Minshall. 127-1f

## LOCAL NOTES

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Henry E. Hildebrand for re-election to the office of city marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The Daily Chieftain is authorized to announce the name of John F. Hrist for the office of City Marshal of Vinita, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce F. J. Barrett for re-election to the office of Recorder, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for City Recorder subject to the decision of the Democratic primary. E. D. Ficklin.

Ex-Chief T. M. Hildebrand requests the Chieftain to announce that he is not and will not be a candidate for Mayor at the coming city election. This announcement is made that the Democrats of Vinita may understand the matter fully.

W. E. Hahell is in Texas on business. Fresh fish at Weir Bros. 127-1f

Mrs. C. B. Rogers is reported sick. Greggs' coffee at Burns'. 127-1f

Claude Washburn is here from South-west City. Burns' Telephone No. is 64. 127-1f

Carl D. Sutherland is here from Muskogee. Fresh garden seed at Burns'. 127-1f

Wilson Franklin spent Sunday with his family. Olives in bulk at Weir Bros. 127-1f

H. P. Murphy, of Muskogee, is in the city today. Mackerel and codfish at Burns'. 127-1f

The groundhog made a bad calculation this year. Fresh sauer kraut at Weir Bros. 127-1f

B. T. Morrison came up from Chelsea Saturday night. Fresh Oysters, any style, Whitney's. 127-1f

Fresh Oysters, any style, Whitney's. Mrs. J. M. Rix is recovering from a serious attack of measles. 127-1f

Fresh Oysters, any style, Whitney's. John Skillman of Big Cabin was here doing some trading today. 127-1f

Fresh Oysters, any style, Whitney's. Chas. Rhena, of the Jumbo grocery store, is laid up with the grip. 127-1f

Fresh Oysters, any style, Whitney's. Saunders Brite of Wagner is transacting business in town today. 127-1f

Fresh Oysters, any style, Whitney's. John Gore made a business trip to the Pawnee neighborhood today. 127-1f

Corn beef, home made at Weir Bros. J. M. Anderson, of Eureka Springs, Ark., is spending a few days in this city. 127-1f

Candies and nuts at Weir Bros. 127-1f

Court convened at Miami today. Judge Gill and many members of the bar are there. 127-1f

Branded cherries at Weir Bros. 127-1f

Mrs. Gladie King returned yesterday from Springfield, where she has been visiting her sister. 127-1f

Best flour, bran and meal at Burns'. Fuge Flippin and family are up from Claremore visiting Mrs. Flippin's father, Wm. Little. 127-1f

Ice cream at Silver Moon restaurant. 127-1f

Butterick patterns for April at Badgett-Sanders. 127-1f

The Chieftain's telephone is 44 and the paper wants the news. 127-1f

W. H. Kornegay is in Miami attending court. 127-1f

Just received, a car of S. P. Hour, the best on the market. L. P. Garrison. 127-1f

Harry Mitchell spent Sunday with homefolks at Seneca. 127-1f

Fifty-six piece set of English semi-porcelain ware for \$5.98, at Burns'. If Mrs. F. W. Strout is much better today after a weeks illness. 127-1f

Claim for sale in Oklahoma. See Campbell-Marrs Real Estate Co. 112tf

Miss Kate Humphrey, the Jumbo store's new milliner, arrived yesterday. 127-1f

A fresh shipment of Chase & Sanborn's tea and coffee. Badgett-Sanders. 127-1f

Miss May Blujacket has resumed her position as cashier at the Jumbo store. Fine sweet potato seed—a car load will be here soon—at W. I. Davenport's. 127-1f

Prof. E. C. Alberty, Supt. of the Cherokee Orphan Asylum is here today. 127-1f

Just received, a carload of bran and shorts mixed half and half. Send me your order and get good feed. L. P. Garrison. 127-1f

The little daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Stubble is sick with pneumonia. 127-1f

You can buy it cheap for cash or on easy payments—the Singer sewing machine. 127-1f

Mrs. A. C. Raymond came home last night from a two days visit at Chelsea. 127-1f

We take in any kind of old machines on the Singer. You can buy them of easy payments. 127-1f

Misses Fannie Knight and Lillie Burns drove to Afton today for a several days visit. 127-1f

Piano good as new, for sale. For price and particulars see Mrs. John Miller Drake. 127-1f

Drs. Fortner and Bagby performed operation on Jess Thomas' child yesterday for an abscess. 127-1f

Dr. Essie Bondurant has moved her office from Green hotel to the Empire Block, up stairs. 127-1f

S. K. Waymer and wife leave Wednesday for St. Louis to make their home. Their many friends regret to have them leave. 127-1f

I am prepared to supply all of Madam Yale's remedies, at my home. Mrs. Blythe. 127-1f

Dr. Louis Bagby accompanied by Chas. Wilson went to Estella Saturday night to Jim Gregory's to set the broken arm of his seven year old boy. 127-1f

Extra clean bluegrass, sweet peas, red and white clover and Bermuda grass seed at Ed. Lee's. 127-1f

W. N. Stinnett, a former agent at the Katy at this place, passed through with his family on the flyer this morning enroute to South McAlester. 127-1f

The best is the cheapest; buy the Singer sewing machine; \$5.00 down and \$2.00 per month. 127-1f

A great many of our Vinita people are making arrangement to go to the world's fair. Several parties going later in the summer and will take tenting outfits. 127-1f

Business Chamber of Commerce. On October 3, 1903, the Rouen Chamber of Commerce celebrated the 200th anniversary of its foundation. The Chamber of Commerce of Normandy, created by the Chamber of Commerce of Rouen, was erected according to the royal decree of August 30, 1701, which authorized the establishment at Lyons, Rouen, Bordeaux, Toulouse, Montpellier, La Rochelle, Nantes, St. Malo, Lille and Bayonne of particular commercial chambers "to which merchants and traders of other villages and provinces could address propositions for facilitating and augmenting commerce." Paris, Marseilles and Dunkirk had already possessed commercial bodies since 1709. All the chambers of commerce of Normandy and most of those of France participated in the celebration at Rouen this year. An important work of two volumes will be published soon, entitled, "Histoire de la Chambre de Commerce de Normandie et de Rouen". 127-1f

THORNWELL HAYNES. Airship Competition. United States Consul J. C. McNally writes from Liege, Belgium, under date of November 27, 1903, to say that the authorities of the universal exposition, to be held in Liege in 1905, have decided to offer a prize of \$19,300 for an airship competition to be held in connection therewith. The details of the contest are now under consideration. 127-1f

Debts of German Cities. German cities rival those of the United States in the matter of municipal debts. Berlin owes \$74,000,000; Munich \$35,000,000; Frankfurt, \$25,000,000; Leipzig, \$19,000,000; Cologne, \$17,000,000. 127-1f

Eau de Bouquet. Melt a piece of butter about the size of a nut by pouring on it a pint of boiling water; add sugar and flavoring and pour it from one vessel to another until it is in a high froth. This is a French drink, taken warm before going to bed to help a cold.—Chicago Tribune. 127-1f

Stalk cutter for sale. M. E. Milford. The ladies of the Congregational church have purchased an elegant carpet for the pulpit of their church. 127-1f

Garden seeds of all kinds at Weir Bros. 127-1f

The Peoples drug store is having their soda fountain fixtures repainted and preparing to open the cold drink season. 127-1f

Seven-piece chamber set for \$3.35, at Burns'. 127-1f

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Stubblefield, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Aurora, Mo., returned home this morning. 127-1f

Nice line of muslin underwear at Burns'. 127-1f

The stork visited the pomes of Sam Frazier and L. B. Scott Saturday night and in each instance left a very nice girl baby. 127-1f

New line of beads and looms at Burns'. 127-1f

Mrs. Gus Lubbies, of Muskogee, who has been visiting the family of Captain Wilkinson for a few days, returned home today. 127-1f

April delineator at Badgett-Sanders. 127-1f

W. R. McGeorge and wife returned from Nowata yesterday where they have been visiting Mr. McGeorge's sister, Mrs. N. L. Estlin. 127-1f

Subscription taken for delineator at Badgett-Sanders. 127-1f

Miss Humphreys, of St. Louis, arrived yesterday. She will take charge of the military department of the Jumbo store, this season. 127-1f

Watch and jewelry repairing at Foreman's. 127-1f

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet at the church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. A full attendance is desired. 127-1f

Fresh vegetables of all kinds at Weir Bros. 127-1f

The Wright Shoe Co. is short a clerk today. Mr. Wright said this morning he didn't know whether his clerk was sick or had got married. 127-1f

New line of sofa pillows at Badgett-Sanders. 127-1f

G. H. Graham, formerly agent for the Watson-Pierce Oil Co. at this place, but now with the Gill-Sanders Grocer Co. of Muskogee, spent Sunday here. 127-1f

Tumblers from 20c to \$1.25 per set at Burns'. 127-1f

Two fine milk cows for sale. See J. T. Gunter. 127-1f

The Ows seem to be doing things up pretty brown, as they had another dance Saturday night. This dance was just among the members and their lady friends. 127-1f

Buy the Singer sewing machine; it's the best. 127-1f

Fresh garden and flower seeds at W. I. Davenport's. 127-1f

A. F. Romig, a Sunday school organizer and evangelist, was here today enroute home to Tulsa. He spent yesterday in the Pleasant Hill neighborhood. 127-1f

Meal tickets good for 21 meals at Whitney's \$3.50. 127-1f

All kinds of watch and clock repairing done at Foreman's. 127-1f

The road south of town, near the artesian well, is in a deplorable condition and much complaint is heard from farmers who have to come that way to get to town. 127-1f

Two-room house in Walnut grove to rent—apply to Campbell. 127-1f

Fine line of fruits and fresh groceries at Vinita Meat Store. 94tf

There will be "A Breezy Time" in the Vinita Friday night, March 11, and all wise people will do well to take shelter in the opera house on the date the Breeze is announced. 127-1f

April delineator at Badgett-Sanders. 127-1f

Housefull of new dishes, tin and granite ware, at Burns'. 127-1f

Yesterday the Cobb hotel had one of the best days for traveling men since it has been running; this means that Vinita is getting to be a place where travelers like to spend their Sundays. 127-1f

Last Warning to Tax Payers. All citizens of Vinita who owe taxes for 1903 are warned that if payment is not made forthwith suit will be brought against them. B. G. CHANDLER, Tax Collector. 127-1f

# The Safest Way

## Of Doing Things

is to do them slowly, deliberately and correctly. Don't hurry; take your time, calculate carefully just what you will do and how you will do it. Above all, keep cool. Your level headed grandparents, parents, sisters, brothers and friends will tell you that the safest place for you to trade is Ratcliff's, Vinita's best store.

## New Goods of Every Description Arriving and on Display

# E. N. Ratcliff Mer. Co.

### FRISCO SYSTEM.

Cheap Railroad Rates to the West and Northwest.

One-way second-class rates to northwest, March 1st to April 30 and Sept. 15th to Oct. 15th, 1904.

Frisco system will sell one-way second-class colonists' tickets to points in northwest at greatly reduced rates. For further particulars call on local agent.

Second class colonist' rates to California and intermediate points, March 1st to April 30th, and Sept. 15 to October 15, 1904.

Frisco System will sell one way second class colonists' tickets to points in California and intermediate points at greatly reduced rates. For further particulars call on Local Agent.

I handle all kinds of feed. Give me a trial. F. G. Cowan. 5tf

Heinz's fresh bulk kraut in great quantities at Garrison's. 130tf

Willie Lemen, for several months on the Daily Chieftain's carrier force, quit Saturday night to take a position at the Excelsior Laundry. He has proven himself entirely reliable and it is with regret that the Chieftain parts with his services.

If you want good butter and fat chickens go to F. G. Cowan. 5tf

Good farm to let near Vinita for cash. Apply at this office.

L. C. Estes, of Monett, Mo., has been in town for a few days past looking for a location for a chili stand.

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